



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**In re Application of:**

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For: METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR  
PERSISTENT CONTROL AND  
PROTECTION OF CONTENT

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## **PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time to reply to the Office Action of July 1, 2005. Please charge the fee of \$1,020.00 to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our Deposit Account No. 06-1916.

Respectfully submitted,

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